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For:

METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR

ACCESSING MULTI-DIMENSIONAL

CUSTOMER DATA

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Response To Notice Of Drawing Inconsistency With Specification (2 pgs.), in response to Notice dated August 24, 2004

Transmittal (3 pgs.), in duplicate

Copy of Preliminary Amendment filed on April 12, 2001 with a copy of Return Post

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STATUS

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.

is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	1.136 apply.							
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)							
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)							
Exte	ension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)					
	First month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00					
	Second month	\$ 420.00	\$ 210.00					
	☐ Third month	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00					
	Fourth month	\$1,480.00	\$ 740.00					
	Fifth month	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00					
		Fee Due	\$					
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)								
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.								
Extension fee due with this request \$								
	OR							
	(b) Applicant believes that no extens conditional petition is being made applicant has inadvertently overloof time.	e to provide for the po	ssibility that					

FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below: 4.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification dated August 24, 2004, enclosed please find a copy of a Preliminary Amendment filed on April 12, 2001 with a copy of the return post card. As you can see, the April 12th Preliminary Amendment deleted from the Brief Description of the Drawings section of the originally filed patent application the reference to Figures 7-9. The reference to Figures 7-9 was mistakenly included in the originally filed Brief Description of the Drawings. Accordingly, the amended specification only describes Figures 1-6. According to the Notice of Allowance dated April 20, 2004, the formal drawings in this matter, which were filed on April 12, 2001 and include Figures 1-6, have been accepted by the Examiner.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the drawings, which have already been accepted by the Examiner, are consistent with the specification.

Reconsideration and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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